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Using Electronic Trimming)
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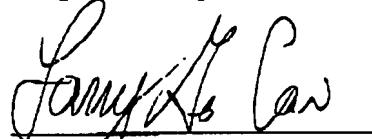
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The last of the "DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY" as received in this office today, March 20, 2000, the Yasser A. Chlarif DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY and the DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY for Richard A. DeKeyser, Vernon R. Smith and Stephen F. Glassey are being forward in response to the Notice Of Incomplete Reply dated, November 19, 1999, the applicant has enclosed the "Declaration And Power Of Attorney" for the inventors of record. The applicant has identified the original patent number and grant date for which a reissue patent is sought. The applicant has further clarified the reason a reissue patent has been sought, i.e. patentee claiming more or less than he had the right to claim in the patent.

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METHOD AND STRUCTURE FOR CONTROLLING AN APPARATUS, SUCH AS A FUEL INJECTOR, USING ELECTRONIC TRIMMING

the specification of which was filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on the 28th day of May, 1999, as Reissue Application No. 09/322,770.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims.

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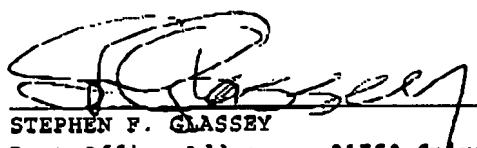
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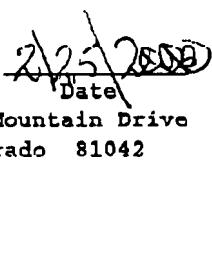
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